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## METERS, LABOR GET HOT DEBATE AT CHAMBER MEET

### DIRECTORS WANT PARKING METERS TO BE REMOVED. COUNCILMEN STATE ADVANTAGES

NEVADA CITY: At the Chamber of Commerce luncheon meeting Tuesday at the National Hotel, parking meters and a labor relations policy were principal topics of discussion. A brisk debate on the question of petitioning for the removal of meters terminated when the motion was tabled.

The chamber endorsed by a narrow majority vote, a statement of labor relations policy issued recently by the Grass Valley chamber. Ray Spicklemier, before discussion, had moved that the measure be tabled. Downey C. Clinch, spoke briefly in favor of the statement, saying that this community should take intelligent cognizance of existing situations.

Chamber President George Hansen said that he thought the statement would neither help nor harm the community. Otto Bergendahl stated that, while he was a working man himself, he was opposed to the closed shop and jurisdictional strike, both of which he deemed unconstitutional.

The purpose of the labor relations statement, which demands fair practice on the part of labor and management, was explained by D. Daniel L. Hirsch, Grass Valley chamber president. Hirsch quoted Andrew Carnegie, who likened labor, capital and the public, to a three legged stock. Which leg queried Hirsch was least necessary? It was the public, Hirsch said, which was caught in the pinch between capital and labor, and it was the public for whom the Grass Valley Chamber was concerned when they passed the statement of labor policy.

The chamber ejected Ray Suicklemier's motion to table the statement, and by a vote of showing hands. 11 to 8 (the majority of those present did not vote) endorsed the statement (which is printed at the end of this story.

President Hansen reported that the board of directors had approved a resolution declaring that the parking meters were disagreeable and had resulted in a loss in the volume of business in Nevada City, and that the desired a petition to be circulated calling for the removal of the meters before the contractural time limit had expired.

Eleven members of the chamber spoke on the parking meters question, incldng city councilmen Albert S. Bates, Charles Veale, Others who debated this matter were Glenn Roscoe, Hansen, Herbert S. Foreman, Harry Clayton, Mrs. Harold Deeter, Otto Bergendahl, Robert V. Tamblyn, Ray Spicklemier and Horace Curnow.

Foreman stated that he believed the merchants were not being given any consideration in the matter of meters, and that he advocated withdrawal. Grass Valley business men had informed him ht said of the appearance in their stores of many new customers from Nevada City, who said they were displeased at the meters.

Veale replied that what the people of the city apparently wanted the city council to do was to conduct a $60,000 a year business on an income of $42,500. No decrease in business was discernible, he related.

Bates remarked that the Board of Directors of the chamber had passed their anti-meter resolution 14 days after the installation of the meters. This he said did not give the aluminum gadgets a fair trial.

Veale described the desires of the town as including an up to date airport and a park comparing favorably with those in larger communities and implied that while the clamor for expensive developments such as these was virogous, it was matched in vociferousness when the city council endeavored to secure the cash to satisfy the city's demands.

It was brought up that, since the luncheon meeting had continued more than an hour, all those who had parked by a meter were in violation. This was received as a stong point for the anti-meter action, until Harry Clayton, Lions club president, pointed out that everyone would have been in violation anyhow, even if there were no meters, since the city previously had in efect a one hour parking ordinance. This rule had carried the same $1 fine for over-parking which now applies to the meters.

Horace Curnow, related the experience of Riverside, Riverside County, which had installed 2800 meters to secure needed city revenue. The meters, he said, went in admist a terrific stom of protest. Within six months, the storm had abated.

Now, Curnow related, there was a movement under way in Riverside to remove the meters. A great disturbance of opinion was occurring there again, this time with the preponderance of public opinion opposed to removing the meters.

A large delegation from the Grass Valley chamber of commerce, including many of the board of directors, were present at the luncheon. Sitting at the head of the E-shaped table with Hansen and Sofge were President Hirsch and Executive Manager Kronemyer of the Grass Valley group.

Laughter greeted a suggestion, meant seriously, but taken in a humorous vein, made by Robert Tamblyn who proposed that excess meters such as those on Nevada, Sacramento and the top of Broad Street be removed to some other community.

A third topic of discussion was possible alliance of the local chamber with the Better Business Bureaus. The business practices of the Sacramentto merchants community were discussed. Criticism of Sacramento's practice of keeping shops open on Armistice Day, contrary to Nevada County practice, was discussed.

William H. Stinson of Grass Valley called attention to a poster on the banquet room which read "Let's Go To San Francisco." This, he remarked was hardly in keeping with tenets of a Sierra Nevada County chamber of commerce.

Mrs. Harold Deeter, publicity chairman, reported that she had sent a letter of Nevada Cit airport news to 36 aviation clubs in the west. She called attention to a rut of a certain depth at the airport, which needed filling, and also to the inedaquate condition of the airport's first aid supplies.

There follows the state of labor relations policy endorsed by the chamber.

**STATEMENT OF POLICY**

**The Nevada City Chamber of Commerce in accord with the United States Chamber of Commerce, believes in the principles of collective bargaining and that every worker should have an opportunit to better his situation and be recompensed on the basis of merit.**

**We believe that organized labor should be protected in its rights by laws which equall protect other citizens organized or un-organized. We believe in equality of all citizens before law.**

**We believe in union responsibility for its acts just as we believe in the same responsibility for the employer.**

**We are opposed to violence, intimidation or coercion methods on the part of labor or management. The public interest demands the outlawing of mass picketing and coercion in connection with labor disputes.**

**We believe that individuals should be free to join or not to join labor organizations.**

**We believe that equitable administration of labor laws, combined with a spirit of mutual understanding and fair play, would correct some of the present difficulties in the field of labor relations.**

**....Interruptions to the production of goods and to the performance of services by strikes, boycotts, or other interference with operations arising out of jurisdictional disputes should be eliminated.**

**Closed shop provisions in collective bargaining union contracts should not be sanctioned.**

**Sympahtetic strikes and secondary boycotts practiced by labor organizations against employers against whom no grievences are held should be made illegal.**

**All trade and commerce should be protected be appropriate federal and state laws against unfair labor practices, such as violence, threats, coercion or intimidation from any source.**

## HARRY CLAYTON HEADS DRIVE FOR SALVATION ARMY

NEVADA CITY: Lions met last night at the Deer Creek Inn for an informal dinner gathering highlighted by guest speaker Salvation Army Captain Roy Marshall. Marshall, who heads the Nevada County Salvation Army fund raising campaign, disclosed that Harry Clayton, Lions president had consented to head the committee charged with raising Nevada City's allotment of $1500.

Judge James S. Snell, when asked for legal advice on a club matter, replied instead with an anecdote about Judge Niles Searls. The time was years ago, said Snell, when local trials were held in the county recorder's office..

Searls, then a practising county attorney, was invited to represent a defendant by the presiding juror, Judge Riordan. No time was available for the usual consultations with the client, so Judge Riordan suggeseed Searls confer briefly with his client in an adjoining utility room, for the purpose of advising him.

Searls followed the jurist's injunction. Upon entering the room he noticed that the window, over a moderate drop to the ground, was open. When the defendant inquired of Searls, what he had best do, the lawyer pointed to the open window and advised him "Jump out that window and run like ———"

LeRoy Kitts, vice president of the club, presented for the consideration of the members proposed articles of incorporation for an organization to be called Nevada City Treasure Chest, Inc. The broad purpose of this projected institution is to be the function of a Community Chest, with which Kitts has had extensive experience in San Francisco and other communities.

## HYDRAULICERS HEAR OF $1000 A TON ORE

NEVADA CITY: The California Hydraulic Association, at its meeting Sunday at the National Hotel, heard John J. Hill, eminent British mining authority, tell of the discovery of a new reef in the South African mining fields. Hill said the value of the gold bearing ore averaged, in drill holes, between one and two thousand dollars per ton.

General discussion was held on the minting of centennial gold coins. Olaf P. Jenkins newly appointed state mineralogist, addressed the group upon the projected program of providing gold area maps for centennial visitors. Dr. Erin Waters of Stanford also spoke on the distribution of gold ores..

Marking of historic gold mining sites was also discussed.

### Funeral For James J. O'Hara

GRASS VALLEY: Funeral services will be held tomorrow in St. Patrick's Catholic Church at 9:30 a. m. under direction of Hooper and Weaver Mortuary for James J. O'Hara, who died Tuesday night in a Sacramento hospital. Interment will be in the Catholic Cemetery..

O'Hara was born in Sonora, Tuolumne County, 74 years ago. He followed mining all his life and for many years he was employed here in the Empire Star Mines.

Bereaved are his wife, Elizabeth and children, Willard, Grass Valley, Arthur, Cottonwood, Tehema County, James Jr., San Francisco, Mrs. Agnes Bradford, Sacramento, Mrs. May Chapel, Grass Valley, Mrs. Carry Hester,. Sacramento, Mrs. Louise Fiddles, Grass Valley, Mrs. Ruth Shirrodo, Auburn, Placer County and a stepson, Thomas Harvey of San Francisco. There are surviving four grandchildren.

# BIZARRE KIDNAPING CASE SLATED FOR JURY TODAY

## COURT HEARS VARIED VERSIONS OF VIOLENT CAREER OF SALES

**NEVADA CITY: "Mary, I am afraid I do," replied Walter Sales to Mrs. Mary Giovannoni of Truckee when, in the back room of Cozzi's bar, she asked him whether or not he intended to kill her, according to her testimony yesterday in the kidnap trial in superior court of Walter Sales.**

**Sales's trial goes into its 4th day this morning, with defense attorney Frank G. Finnegan giving his argument before the jury. The trial has been conducted against a backdrop of tempestuous romance, clandestine conferences, love letters written at gun's point, jailbreak, and heavy drinking. Interwoven in the evidence have been various revolvers, taxis hired for extended trips, airplane tickets never used, fisticuffs, threats of death and violence, and the ever-recurring motif of elopement..**

Yesterday morning Mrs. Giovannoni took the stand again as a witness for the prosecution. She was chic in a dove-gray fitted coat, with white silk blouse, fastened with gold pin, with black and gold accessories.

Flushing at times under cross-examination, she nevertheless answered questions in a positive manner. She described the first time that the defendant had eyer assertedly threatened her..

He had written to his brother in Reno, she said, and secured from him a revolver. In discussing this matter with her, he assertedly told her that he had told his brother that the gun was to be used for target practice..

According to Mrs. Giovannoni, Sales said, at that time, "But I never told him the target was going to be you."

She related the events which she said occurred on October 22nd. (It was then that Sales was. for the first time charged with kidnaping.)

Sales was waiting for her at 8 p. m. that evening, she related. by the railroad crossing whtre she had run away from him once before. According to her testimony, she asked him if he had a gun. He replied that he did, and insisted that she get in the car and talk to him. He thereupon stuck the gun in her ribs and told her to drive the car..

Mrs. Giovannoni testified that she told him she was unwell, and too sick to drive. Nonetheless, according to her, he started the car and forced her to drive in the direction of Colfax.

After a short time, she insisted that she was too sick to drive further. At this time, she said, Sales put the gun in his pocket and climbed over her to get behind the steering wheel.

She said that at that time she made a move to get out the door, but that Sales said, "Oh, no, none of your tricks," and forced her to stay in the automobile..

Presently the rented sedan in which they were driving was impeded by a large, slow moving lumber truck. At this point, she seized the gun, according to her story, leapt out of the car and onto the running board of a passing auto, containing three men whom she did not know..

She was in a state of exhaustion due to fright at this time, she related, and for a long time could say nothing intelligible. The men in the car, in an effort to stimulte her into lucidity, slapped her wrists and hands. Presently they came to Auburn, where she contacted officers of the State Highway Patrol who returned her to Truckee.

Mrs. Giovannoni gave testimony regarding the circumstances surrounding the much disputed letters of October 9th and 11th. According to her, both were written at gun's point.

Another much debated circumstance was a visit by Mrs. Giovannonni and the defendant to the motel room of bartender Jerry Stacey. According to Mrs. Giovannoni remained in the room about half an hour. At that time, too, she stated, Sales had a revolver, most of the time holding it in his right hand.

While he tried to persuade her to go with him, she said that she sat on the edge o Stacey's bed. She denied Sales assertion that she put her arms around him and said that she didn't want him to leave her.

The matter of (what she stated was) her one and only date with Sales was gone into in detail. There was no stopping on the way home from Tanevaho, she said, for she was driving the big truck, in which the late party of four was transported.

Defense attorney Finnegan was able to draw from Mrs. Sales the admission that she did write two letters to Sales while the latter was in the county jail on the gun charge. She also admitted that she had written to the effect that he was to correspond with her through the medium of their mutual friend, Stacey. since her husband had seen one of Sales's letters to her and was "plenty sore" about it.

One letter stated that Mrs. Giovannoni "would never forget how nice you were to me in the hospital" (she spent July in a hospital). She also testified that Sales had never threatened her when sober. but that his trusty revolver was frequently in evidence when he had been drinking.

The first day of the trial Monday was consumed in large part by the selection of jurors, Serving are Nina E. Gaskins, Arthur C. McQuiston, Elsie C. Peard, Frances Hartman, Edson Fox, Dorothy B. Austin, D. M. Loney, Edna Boot, Jesse Ennor, H. B. Dennis, Melba J. Polglase and Ruth R. Lamson.

Choosing of the jurors was accomplished at 2:25 p. m. Defense attorney Frank G. Finnegan moved for the exclusion of both spectators and witnesses from courtoom. Judge Snell ordered witnesses excluded in the court but permitted spectators and press representatives to remain.

The prosecution began to lay the foundation for its case as the district attorney introduced a chart of the Southern Pacific Truckee roundhouse, drawn by County Surveyor J. F. O'Connor, together with photographs of the same scene taken by forest service investigator William French.

Mrs. Giovannoni, the complaining witness, was the first person to be examined by the prosecution. Mrs. Giovannoni, petite, brunette, and smartly dressed in a fitted black coat, blacky beany stitched with gold, and a chartreuse crepe dresse adorned with silver sequins, related the beginning of her acquaintance with the defendant.

She described incidents of December 21st, when the events for which Sales in on trial transpired. At that time she stated she was sitting in the roundhouse office, at her desk making out cleical reports. In the office with her was a fellow clerk, Mrs. Maxine Caylor, and in adjoining office was Pat J. Riordan, foreman of the roundhouse.

As Riordan, who had been checking stock, came out of the stock room, Sales entered through a side door from the roundhouse proper. Testimony of Mrs. Giovannoni, Riordan and Fireman Henry G. Beck, apparently concurred in describing Sales actions as follows:

He appeared in the roundhouse office side door at 4:30 p. m. with an automatic pistol in hand. He had walked to behind Mrs. Gionannoni, and sticking the gun point in her back said,, "'Come on, Mary, you're coming with me."

Riordan advanced towards Sales, saying "I'm not afraid of you or that gun."

Sales ordered Riordan back into the stock room, but the roundhouse foreman refused to comply. Mrs. Giovannoni stated that he was terrified at the time, requested the foreman not to interfere. Sales, with the gun either at her back or side, according to the testimony of several witnesses, marched out the office door and into the roundhouse proper.

Riordan followed the pair, and placing his hand on on the locomotive fireman's shoulder, said,

"Don't be a —— —— fool Chick."

Testimony at various points during the trial was given to indicate that Sale's procedure on December 21st, prior to the roundhouse incident had been as follows: He departed without leave from the jail, where he had freedom as a trusty, removed former Sheriff Carl J. Tobiassen's army .45 automatic revolver from the desk drawer. Thence, he is said to have proceeded to Broad up Sales, complete with gun, whiskey and telephoned for a taxi.

The taxi, according to the sequence of events as it was related, picked up Sales, complete, gun ano whiskey, on Pine Street. After telling the driver to proceed to Norden, Sales changed his instruction and said he wished to be taken to Truckee. They are reported to have gone directly to the roundhouse.

The scene in the office, already recounted, occurred, and then, after a brief conversation, Mrs. Giovannoni accompanied Sales into the taxi which was waiting near the houndhouse.

With the gun assertedly in Mrs. Giovannoni's ribs, the driver began to comply with Sales instruction to drive to Reno .He reportedly caught a glimpse of the gun, however, and insisted upon stopping at a garage for oil. At this point he wrested the gun from Sales, apparently without much struggle.

Mrs. Giovannoni stated that the last time she had seen Sales prior to the alleged abduction on December 21st, was on October 23rd.

She stated that she had known Sales for appoximately a year originally meeting him in the Sierra Tavern, and that on one occasion she had gone out on a date with him, accompanied by another couple, Dixie Evans and Rex Tackitt. The party in a large produce truck borrowed from a friend, proceeded to Talake and thence to Tanevaho where, according to Mrs. Giovannoni, they stayed until very late at night returning to Truckee at an hour variously stated as about daylight and 4 a. m.

Defense attorney Finnegan, despite the objections of the district attorney, drew from Mrs. Giovannoni the information that Sales had on several occasions visited her at her home when Geno, her husband, was absent.

Finnegan's question as to whether Mrs. Giovannoni had ever stated to one Gilbert Beck that she was in love with Sales was ruled out by the court as irrelevant.

Mrs. Giovannoni stated that she never visited with Sales while he was at the county jail in September and October. She stated that she had not discussed her testimony with either her husband or the district attorney.

After the taxi driver had wrested the gun from Sales, according to Mrs. Giovannoni, she got out of the cab, pursued the driver into the Dawn Hotel, and secured the automatic from him. He instructed her to throw it in the river, she said, but she gave it to Harold Hodson, Truckee deputy sheriff.

Mrs. Giovanonni stated that she had never requested permission from the sheriff to visit Sales while he was in jail. Upon cross examination by the defense attorney she stated that she had stayed at her mother's house after her date with Sales, Dixie and Rex.

Riordan, in testifying as to the circumstances of the alleged abduction stated that he had called the attention of the people in the office to Sales action, saying, "Look here at what this damn fool is doing."

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## BREAK DOWN THE DOOR, RICHARD

A Washington columnist, shedding crocodile tears, reports the end of nn era in government—the chart and graph era.

At its heyday, in the hands of intense, tweed wearing, pipe-puffing young men, the chart became the most imporaant by product of a planned economy.

Scores of alphabetical agencies wouldn't dream of doing a job without first executing a half dozen charts. Their most popular device was the little-men-in-a-row chart. It showed little men growing smaller or larger, or getting cut into thirds or halves, in mathematical ratio, to the things being done to them.

Along with the charts went a whole new lexicon known as "gobbledegook" with words and phrases like "coextensive maladjustments." "uolicy level channelizing", "meaninful minimate" and other gibberish.

After such pargon, the words of "Open the Door, Richard," which are lacerating the country, become relatively meaningful. In fact, the chart-makers were in somewhat the same position as Richard. He sheltered behind the unopened door; they sheltered behind their graphs and gobbledegook.

If a few more doors like this one in government are broken down the people may yet understand what their money is really being spent for.

## MARCH 15TH

Time has a way of passing very rapidly, especially when we're approaching a day we would just as soon skip. Like March 15th, for instance. All good citizens will remember that is the day on which they settle financial accounts with Uncle Sam if they haven't already done so—which most of them usually haven't.

Well, if you're one of the "usually haven't" it would be well to get your income tax report made out as soon as possible. Everyone who earned $500 or more last year must file.

Taxpayers who expect to receive wages subject to withholding in excess of $5000 plus $500 for exemptions except their own, or who expect to get $100 or more from sources other than wages, dividends or interest must also file a decrlaration of estimated tax for 1947.

So get out your income tax forms and your pen. March 15th will be here before you know it..

Advertisement

From where I sit ... by Joe Marsh

### Mystery of the Rocking Chair

Ma Hoskins has a favorite rocking chair that's worn and shabby, with a noisy creak. Pa Hoskins has listened to that squeak for thirty years . . . and he decided to do something about it. So he bought a new rocker, and hid the other in the barn.

Ma allowed as how grateful she was . . . but when Pa missed her one afternoon, he heard a familiar sound that led him to the barn. There was Ma rocking happily in her old chair—squeak . . . squeak.

No need to tell you how Pa felt.

Quick as a wink he hid the new rocker and then brought Ma's old chair back to the house. Now when he hears that squeak, he looks at the mellow glass of beer he's drinking and says to himself: "She's just as entitled to her small pleasures as I am."

From where I sit, that's one of the reasons the Hoskinses are the happiest, oldest-married, peacefulest folks in our town.

Joe Marsh

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## CARD PARTY TO BENEFIT ST. MARYS ACADEMY.

GRASS VALLEY: For the benefit of the improvements and repairs fund at Mount St. Mary's Academy, Grass Valley, the business school class of 1947 and alumni of the school will sponsor a card party in St. Cecelia's auditorium on Tuesday, April 8, at 8 p. m.

Tickets will be selling for this event this week end up through the evening of the party. The members of the Holy Name Society of St. Patrick's Church have offered their services in behalf of the benefit and will assist in the ticket sales.

Three valuable door prizes will be distributed that evening one of wh.ch will be a $15 all wool blanket, the gift of the class of '46; a set of dishes and a thid prize not yet named. Twenty game prizes will be awarded that night also..

Ticket holders must be present for the door prizes, however. they need not be present to secure the beautiful hope chest which will be given at 10:30 p. m. that evening. The hope chest is the gift of the class of '46 and will be filled to the brim with valuable gifts of the classes of '46, '47 alumni and friends.

Contents of the hope chest now being filled will be related at a subsequent issue.

## NUGGET RECIPES

### CHEESEPUFF

12 slices day old enriched or whole wheat bread
2 cups sharp American cheese, grated
2 1-2 cups milk
4 eggs
1-8 teaspoon powdered mustard
1-4 teaspoon pepper
1 teaspoon salt
1-8 teaspoon paprika, optional.

Trim crusts from bread if desired. Arrange six slices of bread in bottom of buttered baking dish, fitting them in to cover entire surface. Sprinkle grated cheese over bread and cover with the remaining slices of bread. Beat eggs, add milk and seasoning. Pour mixture over the bread and cheese letting it soak into bread until liquid has been obsorbed. Set in a pan of hot water and bake in a moderate oven 325 degrees, about one hour, until custard is set and top is puffed and brown.

### LEMON CREAM DESSERT

Frozen lemon cream is a delicious, inexpensive dessert, easily made without cooking. By adding lemon to top milk, whipping cream may be eliminated and an ideal and creamy texture as well as a delicious, refreshing flavor secured.

Beat—
2 eggs until lemon colored

Add gradually until the mix becomes a thick custardlike consistency.
1-2 cup sugar

Combine with—
1-2 cup light corn syrup
2 cups top milk or 1 cup milk and 1 cup coffee cream
1-4 cup lemon juice
1 teaspoon grated lemon peel

Pour into refrigerator freezing tray and set cold control for freezing. When frozen, remove to bowl and whip with an electric or hand beater until mix becomes light and creamy. Return quickly to freezing tray and allow to finish freezing. This one stirring is all that is necessary.

### FISH LOAF

2 cups flaked cooked fish, canned tuna, salmon or other fish.
2-3 cup soft breadcrumbs
1-3 cup milk
2 eggs
1 tablespoon chopped parsley
2 tablespoons onion juice
1 tablespoon lemon juice
Salt and pepper to taste

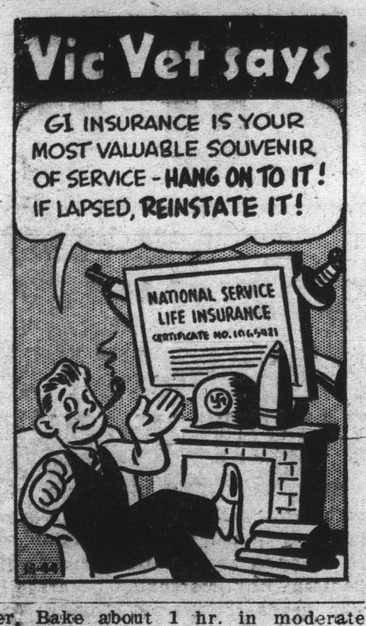
Flake fish, removing any skin and bones. Cook breadcrumbs in milk for 5 minutes, then stir in unbeaten eggs, seasonings and fish. Turn into a well greased loaf pan or other mold, lining the bottom with greased waxed paper. Set in a pan of hot water and bake in a 350 egree F. oven about 45 minutes or until firm in the center. If desired, hopped pimiento, chopped ripe olives or chopped green pepper may be added for more color and flavor..

### BAKED PORK CHOPS WITH RICE

Brown 4 pork chops in 2 tbsp. fat, add 1-4 tsp. salt, 1-8 tsp. pepper.

Place in baking dish. Pour out most of fat fro skillet; then brown, stirring constantly.

2-3 cup uncooked rice, washed. Add 1 diced green pepper, about 1-2 cup, 1 chopped onion, about 1-2 cup, 1 tsp. minced parsley or celery leaves. 3 1-2 cups boiling water, 2 tsp. salt, dash of chili powder, if desired. Cook until rice is tender, about 15 min. Place over chops. Cover, Bake about 1 hr. in moderate oven.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### LUNCHEON FROM LEFT-OVERS

Macaroni Loaf—Dissolve a package gelatin dessert, lemon flavor, in 1 cup boiling water; add 1-2 cup cold water, 1-2 teapsoon salt, 1 1-2 tablespoons prepared mustard, 3 tablespoons vinegar. Chill until it begins to thicken; beat in 2-3 cup mayonnaise. Add 2-3 cup chopped white cabbage, 2 tablespoons minced pimiento, 1 cup cooked elbow macaroni. Mold in loaf pan. Chill until firm. To unmould in 1 hour, follow extra quick method, on package.

### CONSERVATION CONTEST

SAN FRANCISCO: A Sierra Club contest for junior conservationists interested in maintaining the natural resources and wild life of California was announced today by Col. Bestor Robinson, president of the club.

Subject of the essay is to be What Conservation Means To Me. The contest is open to California high school boys and girls between 13 and 17 and is intended to stiumuate vitally needed conservation work.

The contest, being launched during California Conservation Week, March 7-14, will culminate at the St. Francis Travel Sports and Boat Show next month where the junior king and queen of California conservation will be crowned from among three boy and three girls finalists.

California motorists drove 32 billion miles in 1946.

## NEVADA COUNTY VETERANS NEWS

Veterans frequently are reducing their own hances of appointment to state civil service jobs by not taking full advantage of the veterans' preference granted on such examinations, the Nevada County Veterans Service Office declared today.

In order to receive the extra points granted on examinations, the veteran must file for veterans preference prior to each examination, they emphasized. All veterans are eligible for 10 points preference, and disabled veterans receive 15 points. Widows of veterans also are granted 10 points.

Although applications for civil service examinations are filed with the state personnel board, veterans' preference applications must be filled with the state department of veterans affairs.

The first time a veteran files application for preferene in civil service examinations, he must submit proof of his veteran status. However, it is not necessary to resubmit military papers when eligibility has once been established.

Forms for filing application for veterans preference and assistance in filling them out may be obtained at the local veterans office, located at 310 Main Street, Grass Valley, by W. N. McCormack, County Veterans Officer, or his assistant, Coral D. Norton.


## LADY'S STOMACH WAS LIKE A GAS FACTORY: MEALS TURNED TO GAS

One lady said recently that her stomach used to be like a 'gas factory"! That is, when she ate a meal it seemed to turn right into gas. She was always bloated, had awful stomach gas pains, daily headaches and constant irregular bowel action. Now, however, this lady says she is FREE of STOMACH GAS and she says the change is due to taking KAL-O-DEX. Her meals agree with her. No gas or bloat after eating. Heaaches and constipation are gone. "Oh! what relief!" states this lady. "Why don't other gas and constipation sufferers get KAL-O-DEX.

KAL-O-DEX contains 5 Great Herbs, they cleanse bowels, clear gas from stomach, acts on sluggish intestines and as a diuretic on kidneys. Miserable people soon feel different all over. So don't go on suffering! Get KAL-O-DEX. Sold by all drug stores here in Nevada City. Adv.

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- Term Loans for Small Business
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- Trust Services
- Safe Deposit Boxes
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# Grass Valley PUBLIC MARKET

AUBURN HIGHWAY, GRASS VALLEY
OPEN DAILY—9 A. M. TO 7 P. M.
PRICES EFFECTIVE THURSDAY, MAR. 13 THROUGH SUNDAY, MAR. 16

## MEAT DEPARTMENT

ROUND STEAK ..... Lb. 58c
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The local office emphasized, however, that arrangements are still in the formative stage, and no application blanks have yet been received here. They urged interested veterans not to contact the local office until further announcement is made that the plan is ready to be placed in operation.

Under preliminary plans announced by the Department of Finance and the State Department of Veteans Affairs, there will be no "red tape" connected with certification of veterans in the local office. The veterans will merely present his discharge or other evidence of military service and if his eligibility is established a certificate will be issued immediately. The veteran then will take his eligibility certificate to the Department of Finance and arrange for purchase of one or more buildings. Selection of specific buildings will be at the site, and each structure will be tagged with a fixed price.

### AUTOMOTIVE EXCISE TAXES

Recent internal revenue bureau reports show a collection of $898,431,411 in automotive excise taxes for the calendar year 1946. A total of $413,953,324 was yielded in gasoline taxes and $111,920,862 from automobile and motorcycle taxes.

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## LAFF-A-DAY

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### OAK TREE ORIGINATED 100 MILLION YEARS AGO

BERKELEY: "Sturdy as an oak" is a figure of speech which could have originated a hundred million years ago if man had existed and possessed the power of words.

The oak began its career on earth about that far back in geological time, Dr. Ralph W. Chaney, professor of paleontology on the Berkeley campus of the University of California has found from studies of fossil remains of ancestors of the modern oak tree.

The first oaks had small, smooth-margined leaves. The modern oak of the lobed leaves is a descendant of this prehistoric type. of tree and it appeared about 30 or 40-million years ago.

Oaks with lobed leaves a development limited almost exclusively to

Oaks with lobed leaves, developed limited almost exclusively to North America, have not changed their form appreciably since their inception.

Chaney said that the oak is one of the best examples of evolutionary plant development in recent geological times. He pointed out also that the oak is indicative of the slow rate change in plant forms in the past 40 million years whereas animal types have changed rapidly in the same period of time..

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BERKELEY: About 3000 imported leaf beetles, natural insect enemies of poisonous Klamath weed, were released last week in Humboldt county to literally eat the dreaded weed to death according to James K. Holloway, federal entomologist and Dr. Carl B. Huffaker, beneficial insect specialist in the University of California College of Agriculture.

This is our first large planting in 1947, Holloway revealed, and we expect to place at least 3000 more this spring. During 1946 over 25,000 beetles were released in Humboldt, Shasta, El Dorado, Nevada and Placer counties. The first liberation was made in February 1946.

"We've planted 11 colonies so far, Three are not doing too well, but seven are coming along fine and one in Placer county is excellent. We planted 2000 beetles there in 1946 and within a year we found insect eggs 300 yards from our first planting. That's doing fairly well. They had expanded that far by eating from plant to plant, not by flying."

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Violations of this ordinance or destruction of public property is punishable by $500 fine or a sentence of six months in jail or both.

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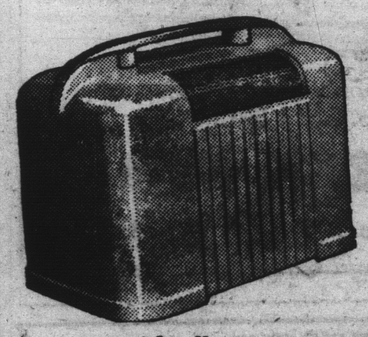

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In large cities, seven out of ten persons killed in traffic are pedestrians, reports the California State Automobile Association.

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## LOOKING AHEAD

BY GEORGE S. BENSON
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### Dips and Peaks

Practical economists view the business outlook in terms of peaks and valleys. They have come to accept the ups and downs of the charts as interpretation of the myriad factors indicative of trends that may take place in our changing, dynamic economy. But the query is put: How can we avoid depressions? Must we take these periodic back-sets for granted? Is there not danger for America in depressions?

These questions are sometimes honestly asked by critics of what they call "boom and bust" capitalism. Yes, there is danger in depressions. They're full of dynamite. We might wish to avoid the effects of every kind of business recession, but to say that we desire to give up freedom of individual opportunity for a regimentation so thorough that we can avoid depression would be to swap temporary set-back for permanent disaster.

**Level Road?**

America's economy is a changing economy. It is dynamic. And its direction, always, has been upwards toward the mountain peaks of a higher and higher standard of living for all her citizens. It is just possible that we could stay in the valley, finding a level road that would be smooth and easy. Some folks mistakenly call this "security." But if we would have the mountain peaks of higher and higher standards of living, then we must be prepared for the brief plateaus, or even the dips, of readjustment for the climb ahead.

This need be no bitter revelation. The price of no depression would mean accepting a static economy. We can have "no progress" along with "no depression." A static America, however, would not be a progressive, inventive, virile America. There are freedoms which thrive in the dynamic economy, and not the least of them is freedom of opportunity.

**Price Too High**

State socialism desires to become your protector. You may have full and continuous protection—if you care to turn over to the state the job of deciding how many jobs there will be, what will be produced, who'll take the jobs, and at what wages. But we know the price of this protectorate is too high.

Almost within our own generation the working man has had his hours cut nearly one-third. Real wages of the "undiscovered" common-man have tripled in many industries. Secondary school enrollments have increased ten times, and college education is available to everyone. The physical comforts and the luxury goods consumed by America's common-man are the envy of the whole world. All this has taken place, despite depressions.

**Upward Still**

This is not to say that America should accept serious business recessions without making any effort to cushion their effect. A wealth of experience from the uncertain Thirties should enable Congress to meet future emergencies with more success. We shall be able to avoid the mistake of blaming overproduction, for we now know that to admit overproduction is to admit that we can offer a higher standard of living than our people can accept.

America can keep going ahead on the climb upward toward heights now undreamed of, if we rededicate ourselves to honest effort in understanding and using the system that has brought us so much. Recognizing the laurels that belong already to the American way, we may scale heights that yet have never been surveyed. Let us not just take depressions for granted; let's take them in stride.

### CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCH

Christian Science Society of Nevada City holds services every Sunday in their church 114 Boulder St. at 11 o'clock. Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. A Wednesday evening testimonial meeting is held on the first Wednesday of each month at eight o'clock. Our reading room is now located in the church edifice at 114 Bolder St. and is open Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, holidays excepted from 2 to 4 p. m. The public is cordially invited to attend our services and visit our reading room.

God is able to make all grace abound toward you; that ye, always having all sufficiency in all things may abound to every good work" (II Corinthians 9.8) This is the golden text for the Christian Science lesson sermon for Sunday, March 16. The subject is Substance.

Included in the sermon are these citations:

II Peter: The day of the Lord will come as thief in the night; in which the heavens shall pass away with a great noise, and the elements shall melt with fervent heat, the earth also and the works that are therein shall be burned up" 3:10.

Science and Health with key to the scriptures by Mary Baker Eddy: When we realize that life is spirit neither in nor of matter this understanding will expand into self completeness finding all in God good and needing not other consciousness" p. 264.

## SERMONETTE

By The Rev. Angus Miller, Rector
Trinity Episcopal Church

### THE MEANING OF LENT

Here we are in the middle of Lent and I am well aware, of course, that a large number among my readers do not attack any particular significance to this. Other Christian people in my own church and in other communions regard this as a very solemn season. Whatever we may think about Lent, it is only right for me to say that the church has observed this particular season for many centuries. It probably goes back to very early Christian times. It is indeed a curious fact that religious people, not only those subscribing to the Christian faith, but of other religion have made a practice of fasting, and attack great importance to it..

I would give by own opinion on this matter with all diffidence and respect to the feelings of others. Without in any way wishing to compel other Christian folk to observe times of fasting which do not appeal to them. I cannot agree that we should disregard altogether 'times and seasons'. There is a sense in which evry day is as good as any other day. Yet even the least religious among people seem to attach a special significance to the first of January. Indeed how many people are there wo do not attach some special importance to a birthday or some other day in the calendar?

If we are to regard the New Year as a time when we should take stock of ourselves, and makt New Year resolutions, if we set apart our own birthdays as something to celebrate, I think it is only reasonable that the church should have set aside the few weeks preceding Easter as a time of importance when people should think more than ordinarily about the meaning of Good Friday and Saster Day.

How then, should we keep Lent, if we should keep it at all? The trouble is that so many people are literal minded. A fast mtans just an abstinance from food, or, generally speaking, a change to some lighter diet; and they attach some spiritual merit to what is, after all, only a physical observance. On the other hand, I do think it is a good idea for all of us at this season of the year to practice a little abstention, and to give a little more thought to the things that really matter.

Self-denial is not very popular these days, and there is no need at all for me to convince my readers not to wear hair shirts, or to make themselves ill with fasting. The whole jargon of the day is in favor of 'self-expression.' Do not deny your instincts, or you will suffer from inhibitions, or complexes or something of the sort, so say our scientists. I think most of us would be all the better for a little self discipline and perhaps the chief use of the Lenten season will be to remind us of that.

Self-denial has its virtues if it is not made an object in itself but a means to an end. To stop ourselves eating or drinking certain things, to forego ordinary pleasures, may be all very well in their way. Nature abhores a vacuum and the whole object of fasting is to set our minds on higher things. If you are fond of going to the pictures, and decide during Lent to go only once a week instead of twice, I am sure it will do you no harm. But give the time you would have spent in the pictures to some unselfish work. There are many books which are certainly helpful at this season and these may be read with profit. But it will be equally helpful if you can find some poor soul to whom a word of comfort will make all the dfiference.

### RURAL TRAFFIC RATES

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# FORESTRY BOARD ANNOUNCES ITS LUMBER REGULATION PROGRAM

SACRAMENTO: California's 3-hundred 50 million dollar lumber industry will harvest its forest crop with an eye on future as well as present timber values announced Chairman W. S. Rosecrans of the State Board of Forestry from Sacramento. Forest proctice rules designed by private industry under provisions of a 1945 legislative act to insure the people of California that forest lands be left productive and capable of growing a new crop of trees are now in effect in two of California's four commercial districts.

At its regular monthly meeting the board of forestry approved forest practice rules for the redwood district containing Santa Cruz, Sonoma, Mendocino, Humboldt and Del Norte counties and for the North Sierra pine district containing Modoc, Lassen, Plumas, Sierra, Nevada, Shasta, Siskiyou, Tehama, Butte and Yuba counties.

The rules, democratically formulated by representatives of private industry, subsequently accepted by ballot vote of more than 80% of all forest land owners in each of the districts and finally approved by the board of forestry as accomplishing the purposes and intent of the 1945 legislature's forest practice act, now have the full force of law.

Briefly the rules provide for the leaving of seed trees in the redwood district and the reserving of all sound, immature trees below 20 inches in diameter in the North Sierra pine district. In harvesting or thinning young stands, not over one half of the trees from 12 to 18 and 12 to 20 inches respectively in diameter shall be cut in any two year period. In addition to allowing alternate plans for forest harvest if approved by the board of forestry the rules set up practical logging practices, fire prevention and suppression practices, and forest insect and disease control recommendations.

In emphasizing the beneficial effect of these forest practice rules on California's future lumber supply Chairman . S. Rosecrans of the board of forestry said, "the timber industry and timber owners have now successfully completed the first step in getting improved practices in the forests of California. The second step and the real measure of success will be the application of these rules in the woods. If the operators observe not only the letter but the spirit of the rules this state will have made the greatest democratic advance in forest practices in any state to date."


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### SCHOOL TAXES HERE TOTAL $613,190 ON LOCAL PROPERTY

Property tax levies in Nevada Cnty for county, school, and special district purposes for this year total $613,190, California taxpayers association said today, making public the first section of its study of local tax levies in California counties. City tax levies are not included.

The county's general tax levy for 1946-47 totals $308,032, the association said.

School tax levies on local property in the county amount to $294,952.

Special district levies in the county total $10,206.

Over the state as a whole property tax levies for counties, schools and special districts total $384,222,557 for the current fiscal year. County tax levies amount to $185,236,298, school district taxes to $167,940,897 and special district taxes to $31,045,362. City levies, except for San Francisco city and county are not included.

### ACCIDENT FACTORS

Undue speed, inattention and carelessness are factors in nearly every automobile accident, says the California State Automobile Association.

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WITNESS my hand and seal this 26th day of February, 1947.

WILLIS L. MASON.

State of California, County of Nevada, ss.

On this 26th day of February, 1947, before me, Frank G. Finnegan, A Notary Public in and for said County and State, residing therein, duly commissioned and sworn, personally appeared WILLIS L. MASON, known to me to be the person described in, and whose name is subscribed to the within and foregoing instrument, and he acknowledged to me that he executed the same.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal at my office in said County, the date and year first above written.

(Seal)

FRANK G. FINNEGAN,
Notary Public in and for the State of California, County of Nevada.
Feb. 27, Mar. 6, 13, 20.

## New Grazing Man For Tahoe National Forest

The assignment of Howard B. Smith as grazing assistant on the Tahoe national forest staff was announced today by Forest Supervisor Guerdon Ellis. This position was held vacant during the war since the retirement of Leland Smith in 1944..

Smith is a graduate of the University of Minnesota and has been employed by the forest service since 1933, in Arizona and New Mexico. For the last three years he has held the position of range examiner in the region three regional office at Albuquerque, New Mexico.

Ellis stated that Smith comes to the Tahoe with fine recommendations and is qualified to render excellent service to the grazing permittees in this area.

### IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF NEVADA

In the Matter of ANNE CECILLIA MOORE, A person who should be declared free from the custody and control of her parents.

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Given under my hand and seal of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Nevada, this 20th day of February, 1947.

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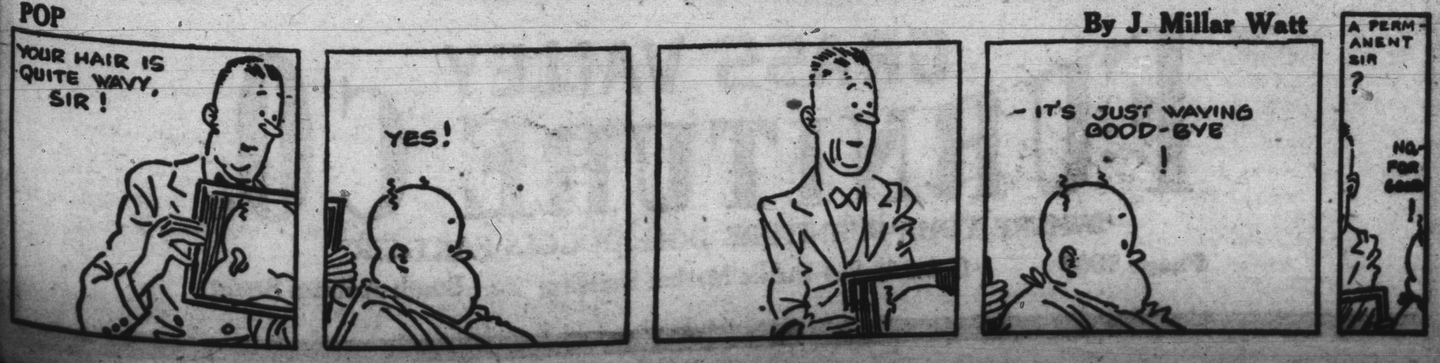

# GUNS, WHISKEY, JAILBREAK FIGURE IN WILD ADVENTURES OF W. H. SALES

When he spoke again to Sales, in the roundhouse, he said, "Listen, don't you think it's pretty nice to be out here in the open, breathing this fresh air?"

Sales is then said to have replied, "Who do you think you are talking to, a child?"

"No, I'm talking to a plain g.d. fool," bellowed Riordan.

Judge Snell declared at recess at 4:30 p. m. Monday, and the trial resumed at 10 a. m. Tuesday with the complaining witness, Mrs. Mary Giovannoni, still on the witness stand.

Sales, on the stand in his own defense shortly after the opening of the Tuesday session stated that he had never had any trouble with the law until he met Mrs. Giovannoni. He reviewed his part in tht actions which led to his arrest on August 19th for exhibiting a deadly weapon, and later, on October 19th, when he was charged with kidnaping. The latter charge was dropped.

The rapidity which Sales delivered

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his answers to the questions put to him b[illegible]neys and the staccato mann[illegible] which he elaborated his answers made it difficult for court reporter Miles D. Coughlin to follow his testimony.

Coughlin several times admonished him to slow down, and frequently requested him to repeat his answers..

Finnegan sought to introduce evidence of an irregularity in the circumstances of Sales plea of guilty to the initial charge (August 19) of exhibiting a deadly weapon.

A letter written August 9th was introduced as evidence. This controversial document, containing terms of endearment, was according to which side was testifying, supposed to either have or have not been written to Sales in his presence by Mrs. Giovannoni, at the point of a gun assertedly aimed at her by the defendant.

Several letters were introduced, some in pencil and others in ink, beginning "Dearest Chick" and ending "Love, Mary." While these included expressions of endearment and affirmation of plans to depart with Sales. Mrs. Giovannoni asserted later in the trial that she wrote them under duress at the point of a gun.

Sales, under oath, stated, that, while a trusty at the county jail, he was allowed the freedom of the courthouse and court yard and could go "practically anywhere" he wanted to. He claimed that he had two interviews with her in December while he was in custody.

According to Sales, she drove from Truckee and met him in the parking lot. (Mrs. Giovannoni denied this is her testimony). Sales said, the first conversation was general, but that Mrs. Giovanonni planned to go away with him to Los Angeles or to some other haven. While sitting in her car he asserted she spoke of divorce.

**Sales stated that on this occasion she related that she had lived in Truckee for 22 years, that her relatives and friends were there and that she did not like the idea of simple elopement with him. According to him, she suggested that he shold come and take her away forcibly, so, that it would look as if she was going against her will.**

While previous witnesses testified that on the asserted abduction of December 21st,, Mrs. Giovannoni screamed in fright, Sales said she had articulated nothing except an affirmative "All right."

A meeting between Geno Giovannoni, irate spouse of the complaining witness, and Sales, while the latter was in custody, resulted in an exchange of fisticuffs in which Sales was knocked down and bruised. Testimony related that Sales was not handcuffed at the time, but was immediately afterward.

The October 19th asserted kidnaping was on the day of Sales parole after his jail term for the exhibiting a dangerous weapon with intent to threaten charge.

Jerry Stacey, curly haired young bartender and friend of both the defendant and complaining witness, testified about a discussion in which Mary and Chick were described as talking of leaving together. He said that he never heard her state that she would go. She later testified that she had no real part in the discussion, that Sales had done all the talking.

## CATTLEMEN SUE SHEEP RAISERS IN CAMP BEALE RANGE DISPUTE

GRASS VALLEY: Cattlemen again faces sheep men in dispute in a suit filed by the Nevada-Yuba Livestock Association, seeking to restrain Cliffod LeDuc and John Doe associates from grazing sheep on land within Camp Beale military reservation.

The complaint against LeDuc was filed in Yuba county superior court by W. T. Peckham, Clarence Leavell, D. N. Jones, Charles Morandi and William Black, association directors.

## SIGOURNEY HEADS BASEBALL CLUB

NEVADA CITY: Ted Sigourney was elected business manager of the Nevada City Baseball Club Tuesday evening when the club met in the chamber of commerce rooms at the city hall to plan the 1947 season.

Chosen as directors were Don Macari, Leo Cullen, Howard Penrose, Ray Spicklemier. It is planned to elect a field manager and an assistant manager in the immediate future.

## GIRL SCOUTS OBSERVE 35TH ANNIVERSARY

GRASS VALLEY: Wednesday the 35th birthday of the Girl Scouts organization, local troops participated in a birthday party to be held at Hennessy School auditorium.

Dramatics, songs, investiture and a Court of Honor will be part the evenings entertainment, which will culminate with the consumption of birthday cake.

Grass Valley girl scouts include five intermediate and two Brownie troops.

## Funeral For Mrs. Mae Williams

NEVADA CITY: Funeral rites were held Tuesday for Mrs. Mae Williams of Willow Valley, who died Friday night. Rev. Joseph W. Moore read the service which was performed at Holmes Funeral Home.

The deceased a native of Chico, Butte County, was 58. She is survived by her husband, Frank Williams, a sister, Mrs. S. N. Gage of Greenville, four brothers, Francis, Ad, and Oliver Kessler of Oroville and Elmer Kessler of Quincy, as well as two grandchildren in Nevada City.

## MORMONS SEEK TO BUILD G. V. CHURCH

GRASS VALLEY: Bishop Ralph Greenwell of the Church of the Latter Day Saints has announced a subscription drive to obtain $60.000 to construct a church in this area.

The church has secured a large tract on Alta Street. Plans for the church have been approved by Salt Lake City headquarters. Bishop Greenwell states that erection of the structure will signalize the development of a youth program for the community.

## KISTLE ARRESTED IN OPHIR ON THEFT CHARGE

NEVADA CITY: Woodrow Kist[illegible] of this city has ben arrested on charge of automobile theft. Kistle held in the count jail, was apprehended Sunday in Ophir, Placer County.

He is reported to have stolen a 1935 Chevrolet belonging to George Bahr. According to Chief of Police Max Solaro, the car which has been recovered was sold by Kistle to a used car dealer in North Sacramento.

Deputy Sheriff Arthur Pepper, together with Solaro, made the arrest..

### BLOSSOMS ATTRACT

Santa Clara Valley blossoms are expected to be at their peak about March 14, according to National Automobile Club. Apricot trees are about in bloom and prune trees are sprouting and with proper sun, blossoms should prove a very attractive sight for motorists.

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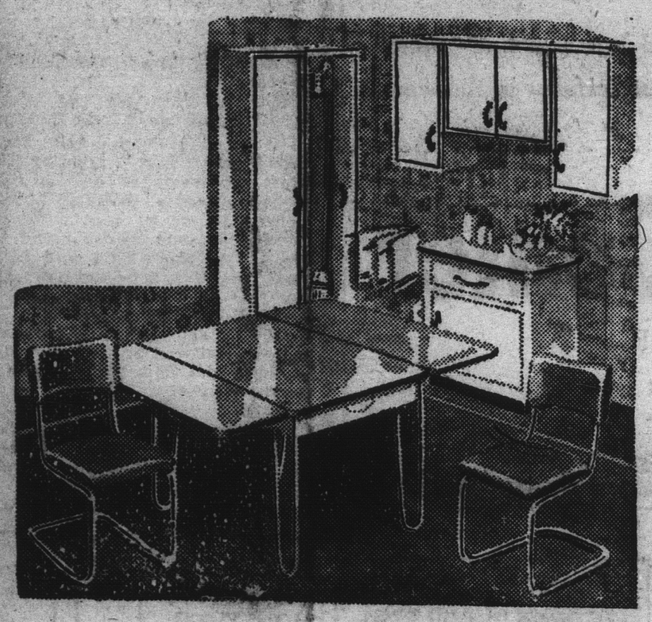

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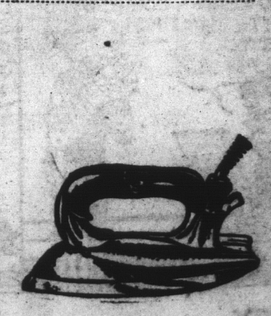

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